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AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS TO MEET MONDAY

State Convention Will Be Held in Dixon for Two Days

Dixon will be host to the members of the Illinois Automotive Trade Association next week, the occasion being the tenth annual convention which will be held in this city Monday and Tuesday. It is expected that approximately 250 Illinois automobile dealers will be in attendance. Secretary McMahon of the state association has been in the city several days arranging final details for the convention. A delegation of 50 Chicago dealers and another 30 Peoria dealers will be among the largest in attendance.

The business sessions will be conducted in Downing Hall, Monday and Tuesday. The visitors will begin to arrive Monday noon, the first session being held at the hall at 8:30 in the evening, which will be in the nature of an open forum presided over by Second Vice President J. B. Brant. The afternoon will be devoted to the reception and registration of delegates. On account of the confidential information, registration will be required. Local association activities and prospects will be discussed at the Monday evening session.

Informal reports from officers and members of the local dealer organizations on outstanding accomplishments, projects attempted, new ideas tried, etc., "Partners again, Potash and Perlmutter" in the auto business, will conclude the Monday evening session.

Busy Day Tuesday.

The convention will swing into full activity Tuesday morning with President William E. Johnston of Chicago presiding. The program for the morning session is as follows: Reports of officers, brief introduction of local groups, appointment of convention committees, report of nominating committee and reading of communications, report on legislative work and prospects by F. E. Erstman, in charge of the legislative program; questions and discussions.

Milan V. Ayers of the National Association of Finance Companies will address the convention on the subject, "1928 Experience and 1919 Demand."

A. C. Faeh of the National Automobile Dealers' Association will also talk upon the subject, "Dealer Association Slavage Yards."

At 12 o'clock Tuesday noon the delegates will be guests at a luncheon at the Elks club, returning to the Downing Hall for the afternoon business session, the program for which follows:

Afternoon Session.

1:30—W. E. Butler, first vice-president presiding:

Address, "The 'Abused' Car Problem"—C. A. Vane, National Automobile Dealers' Association.

Discussion.

2:30—Address, "The Problem of the Employer"—Gordon L. Hostetter, Chicago Employers Association.

3:15—Address, "What a Dealer's Insurance Should Be"—Hon. Chas. M. Smith, attorney Lumberman's Mutual Casualty Co.

4:00—President W. E. Johnson, presiding.

Business session-committee reports, election, selection of 1929 convention city.

6:30—Annual banquet session and entertainment at Dixon Elks club.

Following the banquet, J. Heber Hudson, the gatling gun humorist and philosopher of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce will be one of the speakers, using as his subject, "The First Auto." (Maybe your car once looked like these. Maybe looked like ____.)

Among the entertainers who have been secured for the banquet Tuesday evening by the Dixon association, will be Frank Salerno, accordian artist and radio star, who will be accompanied by a company of equally brilliant artists.

East St. Louis Hog Buyer Killed by Wife

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Perce Hender, 38, a hog buyer at the National Stockyards, was shot four times and critically wounded today by his wife, 40, real estate dealer, in a quarrel which started when he came home at 1:30 a.m.

Mrs. Hender, who is President of a women's lodge, said she snatched a revolver from her husband's hand when he pointed it at her and, beyond pulling the trigger several times could not remember details of the shooting. The quarrel, she declared, was a final episode in three months

of disputes between the two.

Famed "Wheat King" of Board of Trade is Dead



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JAMES A. PATTEN

Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—James A. Patten, famed "Wheat King" of the Chicago Board of Trade, died at his home here at 10:25 o'clock this morning. The 75-year-old millionaire had been ill only a short time with double pneumonia.

Mr. Patten's wife and son, John L. Patten, were with him when he passed away quietly. He was only partly conscious at the end.

"He put up a splendid fight," physicians said, "but his advanced age could not prevent the ravages of the lung infection."

A daughter, Mrs. Agnes B. Wilder, lives in Santa Barbara, Calif.

Patten was born on a farm at Freedland Corners, Ill., May 8, 1852, the son of Alexander R. and Agnes (Beveridge) Patten. The first 22 years of his life were spent there in the heart of the Illinois prairies and it was there that he gathered much of the knowledge of food crops that later made him a manipulator of the world's markets.

Mr. Patten maintained an active interest in his business affairs up to the time he became ill. The serious nature of his illness was not discovered until last night. A consultation of physicians was called immediately.

The aged financier was last in the limelight when he was called to Washington to testify in connection with the election campaign funds.

He had long been a benefactor of Northwestern University of Evanston, donating several million dollars to the institution and building a gymnasium, which was named for him.

SIXTEEN OF H. S. FOOTBALL TEAM GIVEN LETTERS

Annual Banquet Dixon High School Squad Friday Evening

New States Attorney is Face to Face With Real Problems

Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Another policeman was shot early today, the second in 30 hours to fall under the rain of gangster bullets.

Unlike the case of LeRoy Gilbert, the young police chief of South Chicago Heights who was shot dead in his home Thursday night, the shooting of County Policeman Ernest Schubert early today was not fatal.

The bullet that dropped him struck his left leg. Another shot was deflected by his star.

Schubert had crossed the street in Niles Center, a north side suburb, to question several men in an automobile. Before he could speak, guns were pointed at him and triggers pressed. As he fell, the car was driven away.

Today marked the end of John A. Swanson's first week at State's Attorney of Cook County, elected on a platform of "clean up crime," with the slaying of Chief Gilbert in South Chicago Heights and the shooting of Police Officer Schubert, the State's Attorney faced his first problem of driving out the gunmen.

The police will have their chance to get the men who shot Gilbert, the State's Attorney said. "If they don't get them, I will."

A Coroner's jury criticized police of South Chicago Heights for the "promiscuous and unwarranted" shooting of Thomas Scanlon shortly after Gilbert was killed. Scanlon died when a volunteer posse, formed to search for Gilbert's slayers, poured bullets into a car in which Scanlon was riding after the driver had failed to heed commands to stop.

On the heavyweight squad, sixteen members were awarded the coveted "D" letters by Coach Bowers, as follows: Teeter, Stitzel, Plowman, Schultz, Eno, Kaufman, Rorer, Flanigan, Padgett, Rosbrook, Daniels, Wolford, Smith, Blackburn, Place and LeSage.

Elwood Schultz was the selection of his team mates to captain the heavyweight squad in 1929.

Assistant Coach D. R. McMasters awarded letters to 12 members of the light-weight squad, as follows: James, Trombold, Buchanan, Chiverton, Verbis, Burnett, Cortright, Tracy, Campbell, Hey, Lebre, Underwood, and Barthelmeiss.

Select your Christmas Greeting cards now, before the stock is depleted. Many beautiful samples on display at this office. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Goodfellow Fund Nears Century Mark

THIRD BIG STILL RAIDED IN OGLE CO. LAST NIGHT

Is Found on Farm Near Winnebago, Ogle County Line

MANY NEEDY KIDS FOUND IN FEW DAYS

Need for Larger Fund Than Ever is Already Evident

Is there a Santa Claus?

Many little folks in Dixon are wondering about that. Some of them have about decided that even if there is a Santa Claus he is not as democratic as they have been led to believe, but only stops to see little boys and girls who live in nice houses and have nice clothes and who have daddies. Or anyway, who have daddies who have jobs.

They are afraid that Santa Claus won't stop at a little old shack where the only chimney is a stove pipe stuck through the paper roof and where little kids don't have much to eat and are cold most of the time.

The Goodfellows of Dixon are going to prove to these skeptical little boys and girls that there IS a Santa Claus and that he is a very generous old fellow who loves hungry, cold little chaps just as much as children who live in nice warm houses and have parents who can provide them with every comfort.

Dixon Goodfellows are going to try to get the names and addresses of every poor boy and girl in Dixon who needs help to have a happy Christmas, and they are going to see that old St. Nickolas is duly informed about these boys and girls and they are going to try to have him stop at every home where he is not expected.

BIG STOCK ON HAND. The officers found a still of about 100 gallons capacity in full operation. A stock of 125 gallons of finished product in five-gallon tin containers, ready to be transported to a rectifying plant, was seized. About a thousand gallons of mash made from corn sugar was in the process of fermentation.

The copper condensers used for the purpose of removing the fuel oil and poisonous content from the liquor were connected with the still. It was apparent to the officers that the liquor was taken to another plant to be rectified and converted into alcohol before being disposed of.

The distillery was equipped with modern machinery valued at several thousand dollars. An upright steam boiler heated the barn and furnished steam which operated the big still. Pumps and pipe lines had been installed connecting the fermenting tanks and still, a gas engine pumping water direct from the well to the tanks and other equipment.

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Isn't that correct, Dixon Goodfellows?

Fund is Growing

The employees at the Sandusky Cement plant have the Goodfellow spirit. They sent \$25.00 to the Goodfellow fund this morning.

The time is limited and the Goodfellow Club must have the names and addresses of the children who need help and must also have the support of the generous people of Dixon at once if the campaign is to be a success.

The Goodfellow Fund

This morning the Goodfellow fund was as follows:

Frank H. Kreim	\$ 5.00
Evening Telegraph	25.00
Groharing Twins, (Prophetstown)	1.00
Mrs. Samuel Eells	5.00
Miss Bess Eells	5.00
Miss Carrie Eells	5.00
Mrs. S. S. Dodge	5.00
A Friend	25.00
Sandusky Cement Employees ..	25.00
Judge Harry Edwards	10.00
Total	\$33.00

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SECOND OFFICER SHOT IN CHICAGO SUBURB THIS A. M.

Over Two Hours of His Conduct on Fatal Eve Unexplained

REED CASE MAY BE COMPLETED BEFORE NIGHT

Delayed Sentence is Given to Kearns

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Cecil Kearns of Rock Falls was sentenced by Judge Harry Edwards in the circuit court at the closing day of the September term this morning to serve a sentence of from one to ten years in the state reformatory at Pontiac on a charge of larceny.

Kearns entered a plea of guilty to the charge when arraigned before the court early in October and since that time has been confined in the county jail. His attorney, H. A. Brooks, was granted sufficient time to arrange for the parole of his client.

After almost two months, Judge Edwards ordered that Kearns be brought into court and receive his official bulletin.

Reed, however, maintained he spent that time driving to Rochelle, 40 miles away, to seek a relative. He admitted stealing dynamite from a shed near Polo. He intended to use it, he said, to blast streams in Wisconsin, where he planned to fish.

Judge A. E. Fisher, who also heard Reed and Plager's widow tell the story of their clandestine love affair, said the case would go to a jury to-day.

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"Twas the Night Before Christmas"



FEW ABLE TO WEATHER THE SELLING TIDE
Many Margins Wiped Out in Second Day of Violent Drop

New York, Dec. 8.—(AP)—A nose dive in the common stock of Radio Corporation of America of \$72 from yesterday's closing price was the spectacular development of the third successive day of crashing stock prices on the New York Stock Exchange today. Radio touched \$29 a share, which is \$125 under its record high price established only three days ago but more than three times the low price of the year of \$85.25.

Losses of more than \$20 were common among the hand of most violent performers. Wright Aero fell \$26, Montgomery Ward \$24, Case Threshing \$23, and A. M. Byers closed with a net loss of \$20 after having sold up \$6 in the opening transaction.

Margins Wiped Out.

Stocks were dumped upon the market in tremendous volume, as many margin accounts, which have withstood the test of the drastic reactions of the past two days, were unable to weather today's storm. Total sales of approximately 3,744,900 shares were rolled up, a new high record for a Saturday session. The previous Saturday record, made on November 10, was 3,207,000 shares.

Sears Roebuck, Greene Cananee, Packard Motor, Johns Manville, and Chrysler were among issues losing from \$6 to \$10. Among favorite investments issues General Motors lost \$5, while Canadian Pacific, New York Central, Union Pacific, U. S. Steel and American Can lost about to \$3.

Few Withstood Del

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Board of Trade is Moving: No Trade

Chicago, Dec. 8—(AP)—The Chicago Board of Trade suspended activities today in order to move equipment to their temporary quarters, where business will be resumed Monday.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Dec. 8—(AP)—Cash wheat no sales.

Corn, No. 5 mixed 77½; No. 6 mixed 74½@75; No. 3 yellow 82½; No. 4 yellow 79½; No. 5 yellow 77½@78½; No. 6 yellow 75@76½; No. 4 white 79½; No. 5 white 77½; No. 6 white 75. Oats No. 3 white 46½@47; No. 4 white 46½.

Rye not quoted.

Barley 57½@65.

Timothy seed 5.25@5.80.

Clover seed 23.50@31.50.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Dec. 8—(AP)—Poultry: alive, steady; receipts 3 cars; fowls 18@25; spring 27; roasters 20; turkeys 25@30; ducks 17@24; geese 22.

Butter higher; receipts 10767 tubs; creamery extra 50; standards 48½; extra firsts 48½@49; firsts 46@47½; seconds 43@45.

Eggs unsettled; receipts 3848 cases; extra firsts 45@46; firsts 40@44; ordinary firsts 30@36; refrigerator extra 32@32½; refrigerator firsts 31@31½.

Potatoes receipts 61 cars; on track 240; total U. S. shipments 490 cars; trading rather slow, market about steady; Wisconsin sacked round whites 85@1.05; Minnesota and North Dakota sacked round whites 80@95; sacked Red River Ohios 95@1.05; Idaho sacked russets 1.40@1.80.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 8—(AP)—Hogs: receipts 5000; fairly active steady with Friday; top 8.90; mostly 8.75@8.80 market on hogs scaling over 180 lbs; shippers 1000; holdover 15.00; butchers, medium to choice 250-300 lbs 8.55@8.90; 200-250 lbs 8.55@8.90; 160-200 lbs 8.40@8.75; 130-160 lbs 7.65@8.75; packing sows 7.58@8.40; pigs medium to choice 90-130 lbs 7.00@8.25.

Cattle receipts 1000; compared to a week ago strictly good and choice fed steers 25@50 lower closing; however, unevenly higher than the week's low time; common and medium killers 25@40 higher; stockers and feeders strong to 25 higher; fat cows and cutters largely 50 up; butchers, heifers 50@75 higher; bulls strong to 25 higher and weathers largely 1.00 lower; extreme top steers show offerings 17.50; meager supply of specialty all representative weights 17.00@17.50; comparatively little above 16.00 bulk fed steers and yearlings 12.75@15.00; stockers and feeders largely 9.50@11.00; but up to 12.50; fat cows closed on 7.75@9.50 basis; butcher heifers 9.00@10.75; yearling heifers mostly 11.50@13.50.

Sheep: receipts 1000; for the week 5000 direct, an increased supply was readily absorbed; early fat lamb price went strong to higher; weakening later closed 10@25 below close of last week; fat ewes 25@50 higher; yearling wethers steady; feeding lambs largely 25 higher; week's late top fat natives and fed western lambs 14.10; fat ewes 7.25; bulk prices for the week; fat lambs 13.75@14.00; native throws 10.00@11.00; good yearlings 11.00@11.50; fat ewes 6.00@7.00; feeding lambs 13.25@13.75.

Clearing House Report

New York, Dec. 8—(AP)—The weekly statement of the New York clearing house association shows:

Total surplus and undivided profits unchanged.

Net demand deposits (average) \$75,117,000 increase.

Time deposits (average) \$8,816,000 increase.

Clearings week ending Dec. 8, \$9,970,558.150.

Clearings week ending Dec. 1, \$8,617,151.695.

Clearings this day \$1,639,098.165.

Am T & T 186
Am Tob B 175½
Am Woolen 24½
Anaconda 95½
Armour B 8
Atchison 191½
Atl Cst Line 156½
Atl Ref 52
B & O 115½
Beth Stl 74
Can Pac 22 0
Ches & Ohio 192½
C. M. St. P. & Pac pfd 50½
C & N W 84½
Rock Island 124½
Chrysler 114½
Col Fuel 63
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Cons Gas 96½
Corn Prod 86½
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Greene Can Cop 140
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SOCIETY NEWS

Calendar of Coming Events

MENU for the FAMILY

BY SISTER MARY
BREAKFAST—Orange juice, cereal, cream, crisp toast, milk coffee.
LUNCHEON—Spinach with stuffed eggs, baking powder biscuits, pear preserves, rice pudding, lemonade.
DINNER—Roast chicken with celery stuffing, sweet potatoes, apples, baked corn, jellied cabbage and pineapple salad, vanilla mousse with chocolate sauce, milk, coffee.

The dinner menu suggested is ideal for a small-family dinner to celebrate some festive occasion. A clear soup or fruit cocktail can be used to begin the meal if a more elaborate menu is wanted.

Celery Stuffing

Four cups stale bread crumbs, 1 cup boiling water, 1-2 cup melted butter, 1 tablespoon minced onion, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, 1 cup finely chopped celery, 1½ teaspoons salt, 1 tablespoon poultry seasoning, ¼ teaspoon pepper.

The bread should be two days old and the crumbs made medium coarse. Put into a large mixing bowl and pour boiling water over them. Let stand 20 minutes and squeeze out excess moisture. Add melted butter and stir lightly with a fork. Mix onion, parsley and celery and add to crumb mixture. Season with salt, pepper and poultry seasoning and mix thoroughly.

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Phidians Enjoyed Musicale Tuesday

(Contributed by Correspondent)
The members of the Phidian Art club were privileged to enjoy the annual musicale Thursday at the home of Mrs. E. A. Sickels.

Mrs. Johnston, formerly Mabel Clark McMurtry, assisted by Ellen Munson, gave the following numbers:

PROGRAM

Five Nationalities in Music
Mabel Claire McMurtry, Contralto.
Ellen Munson, Accompanist.

Olde English

Now the Dancing Sunbeams Play
Haydn

The Stork (Christmas Carol) Clokey

Love Has Eyes Bisho

French

Passepied Delbes

Er Bretagne Rhene-Baton

German

Standchen Von Schack-Strauss

Widmung Riechert-Schumann

Der Erl-König Goethe-Schubert

Russian

In the Silence of Night Rachmaninoff

After the Battle Moussorgsky

Mother Dearest (Russian Folk Song) Arr. Schindler

Nichavo (Nothing Matters) Mana Zucca

American

Sanctuary Shatford-LaForge

Faltering Dusk Untermyer-Kramer

Boat Song Harriet Ware

Dedication Johnston-Dreier

Fairy Pipers Weatherly-Brewer

Night Martens-Brown

Yellow-Ho Raydon-Leoni

Mrs. Johnston also added several child impersonations. In both song and speech she possesses a voice of rare quality and unusual dramatic expression.

Miss Munson also charmed her audience with the rendition of two French piano numbers.

After this delightful program, Mrs. George Shaw, Mrs. I. E. McLaren and Mrs. A. C. Linsley, assisted the hostess in serving delicious refreshments.

At 7 o'clock the dinner was announced. Guests and members to the number of 84 were seated at the beautifully decorated tables. From delicious scalloped chicken to the last "wee" drop of fragrant coffee, the menu left nothing to be desired.

A short business meeting was held. The class voted a splendid sum of money to the Christmas fund for the children at the Nachusa Orphanage. A very enjoyable program was then given. A piano solo by Amos Harshman; a vocal duet by Mrs. Emma Lambert and Mrs. Nellie Glessner; a reading, "The Cradle in the Night" by Miss Eleanor Powell. The gifts were then presented. This brought to the close a very happy affair to all present.

Mrs. Emma Kested as chairman and all members of her committees are to be complimented on the success of the evening.

E.R.B. Class Christmas Party Enjoyed

The E. R. B. Sunday Class of St. Paul's Lutheran church held their annual Christmas party at the church Thursday evening. A very real looking fire place and chimney had been made at one end of the church parlor. Various sized stockings hung from the mantle. A brave little tree, gay with colored lights and many other decorations stood at the side of the fire place saying very plainly to each guest, "Merry Christmas, glad you're here."

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Kingdom-Mt. Union Aid Society Meets

The Kingdom Mt. Union Aid Society met on Wednesday, Dec. 5th, in an all day meeting with Mrs. Dave Heagy at her home east of town.

A delicious chicken dinner was served at noon at the members' and guests' present.

There was no business meeting for the day, the afternoon was delightfully spent in making flowers and several beautiful bouquets were accomplished.

The next meeting of the society is to be in two weeks on Dec. 19th, with Mrs. Theodore Hintz at her home east of town.

At that time it will be the Christmas meeting and the annual exchange bag will be a feature. The gifts are not to exceed twenty-five cents.

More flowers are to be made at that meeting and a special new tree is to be the main creation.

The guests departed late in the afternoon after a very delightful day spent with Mrs. Heagy in her hospitable home.

RETURNS SUNDAY TO HOME IN ELGIN—

Mrs. Harold Stericker and little sons will return Sunday to Elgin after a visit with Mrs. Stericker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Witzel in Dixon. Mrs. Stericker will be accompanied home by Mrs. Walter Heckman and son, Orville, for a visit in Elgin.

S.T. JAMES AID TO MEET WEDNESDAY—

The Aid Society of St. James church will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday with Mrs. Leon Burkett at her home southeast of town.

PAGE for WOMEN

-Ethel-



H. W. Rendall Gave Address to P. T. A. At Prairieville

Prairieville P. T. A. held its regular monthly meeting Thursday evening, December 6, at the school house. A large number of members and friends were present.

The principal feature of the program was the address by H. W. Rendall of Morrison. Mr. Rendall took for his subject, "Folks". The most interesting thing in the world, he said, is to study the people with whom we come in contact daily.

People can be divided into three general classes—the dissatisfied, the satisfied and the unsatisfied; and every one belongs in one or another of these classes.

Dissatisfied people never accomplish much; they never do much good. To criticize is the easiest thing in the world. It doesn't build up. Fault finders go through life doing nothing but finding fault with everything.

We should get what good we can out of each day as it comes.

Satisfied people are always content with things as they are. These people are not much better than the dissatisfied ones. All progress has come through the people who were not satisfied, but who wished for something better.

The unsatisfied people are doers—they know there are possibilities of making things better. They change the world, turn things into something better.

The world is bad only because people are bad. The world is vastly different in our day from that of even fifty years ago. The great ideal of the world of long ago was "power". It glorified strength, as represented in the seven ancient wonders of the world, such as the great pyramids of Egypt, the hanging gardens of Babylon, the colossus of Rhodes, etc., none of which made any one better or happier.

The ideal of the world of today is "service". Some of the modern wonders of the world are wireless telegraphy, radio, antiseptics and antitoxins, X-ray, etc. All of these express the idea of service, and all contribute to the happiness of mankind.

Womanhood and childhood did not have a place in the old world as they do today. 2000 years ago there was only one hospital in the world, in Rome, and it was for the gladiators, not for women and children.

Service enriches life and brings happiness for all."

Mr. Rendall's address was one of the best ever given before the Prairieville P. T. A. and it was an inspiration to all who heard it.

During the evening the pupils of the primary room sang two songs; one number was sung by the second grade, and one by the grammar room pupils.

The hospitality committee served refreshments of cake, jello and coffee.

The next meeting will be Jan. 3, 1929.

Bridge Party Was Delightful Event

On Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ralph Matthews of Peoria avenue Mrs. Orville Smith, Mrs. James Andrews and Mrs. Matthews were hostesses to sixteen friends at a most enjoyable bridge party. The home was gay in decorations of green and red, red candles, and Japanese lanterns, with bittersweet and other autumn flowers and foliage forming the artistic decorations. The favors at bridge were awarded to Mrs. Harry Marcroft for high score; Mrs. George Horton, second favor; and Mrs. Roy Scholl, consolation favor. Afterwards a delicious luncheon was served.

Conundrums were given by Mrs. Garrison.

Refreshments were served and enjoyed, and thus ended a pleasant afternoon.

S. S. Class Meeting; Christmas Program

The King's Daughters class of the Grace Evangelical Sunday school held a pleasant meeting with one of their members, Mrs. I. S. Graybill, Wednesday afternoon.

A Christmas program was given. The meeting opened with a piano number by Mrs. Fred Kroehler. The Scripture lesson of Luke 11:1-20, was read by the president, who led in prayer. Then all sang one verse, "I Am a Child of the King."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting and roll call followed. There were twenty-two members and ten visitors present. The motion carried that all the old officers be retained for another year, also the teacher.

A song by Mrs. Vivian Graves Baker was followed by two short songs by little Vivian Dugan. A reading, "Abner's Christmas Plan," was given by Mrs. E. L. Graves. The reading "Anne and Willie's Prayer," was given by Mrs. Wilson. This was followed by another song by Mrs. Vivian Graves Baker. A duet by Mesdames Gagstetter and Graybill and instrumental music by Mrs. Reis was followed by a Christmas Tableau by eight members of the class entitled "Old Testament Prophecy."

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Palmyra Mutual Aid Held Meeting

The Palmyra Mutual Aid Society met Wednesday in the basement of the Sugar Grove church.

Although the day was real cold there was a good attendance. Nineteen members were present.

At noon a delicious scramble dinner was served. The day was spent in sewing for the Tennessee Mission. The meeting was called to order by the president. The Lord's Prayer was repeated by all. Secretary and treasurer's reports were read and approved.

Mrs. A. R. Beebe entertained the society by asking some geographical questions.

The society accepted an invitation to meet with Mrs. Frank Alter, Dec. 19. It will be the Christmas meeting and the annual exchange of gifts.

MADE \$67.50 AT SCHOOL SOCIAL

At the social recently held at the Stott school, taught by Miss Catherine Gatchel \$67.50 was the sum realized. A duck was given to Pat McGraw. Music was furnished by Wade Hawks and Harry Klaprodt and the entire evening was a great success.

ISSUE INVITATIONS FOR PARTY DEC. 21st

Mr. and Mrs. John Mickle Stager have issued invitations to a party to be given at their home in Sterling on the evening of Friday, Dec. 21st. A program of music will be given by the Misses Clara and Mary Stager, both of whom have been studying in New York.

GOLDEN RULE CLASS TO HAVE BANQUET

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 11, at 6:30, the Golden Rule class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold

REALM'S REGENTS



THE REGENTS selected by the English ruler to assume his duties during his illness. From top to bottom, are the Lord Chancellor (Lord Halsham), the Duke of York and the Archbishop of Canterbury.

Stanley Baldwin. Right, from top to bottom, are the Lord Chancellor (Lord Halsham), the Duke of York and the Archbishop of Canterbury.

218, auxiliary to the G. A. R. will hold its regular meeting Monday evening at 8:00 in Grand Army hall. There will be election of officers for the coming year.

ENJOYED PICNIC LUNCHEON

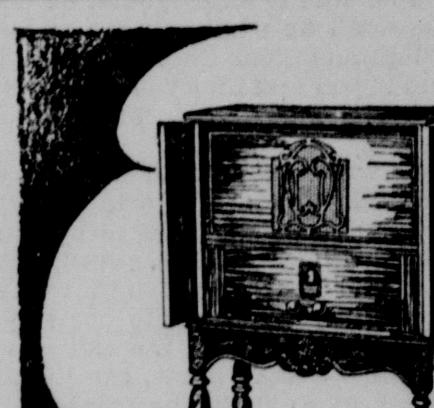
Wednesday—Mrs. Charles E. Bishop was hostess to the members her bridge club.

Wednesday at a picnic luncheon, followed by an afternoon of bridge.

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We say that we are of divine origin, and in the bottom of our hearts we believe it; but no one, watching us throughout most of the year, would ever guess it.

Once in a great while—once a year, at least—we do get a chance to live up to it, though. When Christmas begins to thrust its evergreens and holly wreaths over the horizon we get our chance. Even the meanest of us can show that he has kindness and thoughtfulness at his heart.

Giving gifts to intimate friends and relatives goes without saying. But that's hardly a test. There's a better way to show that we're somewhere near worthy of what happened in Bethlehem twenty centuries ago. Listen:

We're pretty proud of our prosperity. The country has a lot of money, and most of us have got hold of a bigger or smaller share of it. Factories are busy, bankers go about with light hearts, the stock exchange is breaking all records and huge freight trains loaded down with goods go rolling along the steel highways constantly.

But there are always places where the prosperity wave doesn't reach. There are always unlucky people who don't get in on it. Rich as we are, we still have some poverty and want. Probably we always shall.

There are, in this city, homes where Christmas won't mean a thing unless somebody comes to the rescue. There are homes where the father, instead of trying to decide what gifts to buy, is wondering whether his family will have anything to eat on December 25. There are homes where little children suspect that Santa Claus is just a story invented for youngsters who have luckier parents. There are homes where mothers are trying to string together pitiful little toys out of old spools and cardboard, to make up for the ones they won't be able to buy.

In spite of our prosperity, there are places like that—plenty of them.

We'll assume, of course, that your Christmas isn't going to be like that. But will you be able to enjoy yours, no matter how pleasant it is, if you don't do what you can to help out such homes? Will the lights on your Christmas tree be quite as bright as they should if you feel that you could have shared your happiness with some poor unfortunate—and didn't?

After all, at Christmas time we're not just making a holiday. We're celebrating the holiest event in world history; the event that lifts up from despair and materialism and darkness and gives us the light of immortality. And, really, we ought to take time each Christmas to prove that we're worthy of that. We can't do it by retiring into our shells and making a holiday for ourselves alone. We can if we show that we can give to people we don't know, can lift unhappiness that we didn't know existed, can be touched by the loneliness of people we never heard of before.

Your own Christmas will mean more to you if you make it a happy day for some poor little folks. Join The Evening Telegraph's Goodfellow Club and help spread cheer beyond your own fireside.

From Germany comes the news that the Graf Zeppelin will not make another trip to America this year. The stowaways' Association ought to do something about this; they didn't have a man on the *Vestris*, either.

Missouri has a hog with five feet. It is alive and doing almost as well as you could expect of even the two-footed variety.

What would the people of the International Livestock Show do if suddenly there should occur a shortage of pretty girls to pose for pictures with the horses and cows?

In Memphis a girl was arrested for trying to kiss a man. Something has to be done to protect the world's future fathers.

About the year 2928 artificial men may be created in chemical laboratories, says a dispatch. Say, the woods are full of 'em right now.

Chicago school teachers missed a pay day the other day—there wasn't enough money in the treasury. Chicago school teachers certainly are getting plenty of chances to be patriotic.

In Springfield, Ill., a bullet struck a cigaret lighter in a man's pocket and he was saved. It was inevitable that some day one of those things would prove to be of use.

THE TINYMINITES

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNICK



Star will be held in the Masonic Temple Thursday evening, December 20th instead of Monday evening, Dec. 24th as erroneously reported.

The Christmas entertainment of the Presbyterian Sunday School will be held on Christmas eve according to present plans and in the auditorium of the church.

At the regular meeting of the Eastern Star held Thursday evening, Dec. 6, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Worthy matron, Mrs. Sigrid Hagg; worthy patron, Theodore A. Hagg; associate matron, Mrs. Florence Freeland; conductress, Mrs. Florence Castle; associate conductress, Miss Frances Cadwell; secretary, Mrs. Florence Peterson; treasurer, Mrs. Fannie Hibb.

The Standard Bearers Society will meet at the home of Arline Thorpe, Dec. 14. The date was changed from Dec. 7.

The Arts department of the Rochelle Woman's club will meet at the Library next Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 11th at 2:45 o'clock. Mrs. A. B. Sheade will give a talk about "Shawls." Members are invited to bring old, interesting and beautiful shawls for display.

Mrs. John W. Nelson and children will spend the week end at Nachusa during the absence of her husband, Adjutant John W. Nelson of the Legion who with Commander John P. Manning and Harold Palmer are attending the Commanders and Adjutants meeting in Bloomington. On Sunday the local Legionnaires will visit the Legion orphanage at Normal, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Taylor and son, Clarence, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rankin at Joliet for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Hixon motored to Chicago for a pleasure trip Thursday.

(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

The sled dogs all began to bark, but I will wait right here till I'm invited. I'm polite." Just then they heard some footsteps soft. And right near by somebody coughed. The Tinymites looked up and smiled as Jack Frost came in sight.

"Hello there, little lads," said he. "I wonder if you all know me. I'm here to help old Santa Claus, and Jack Frost is my name." Then Scouting said, "We're Tinymites, and we came here to see the sights." Old Jack Frost smiled and shook their hands, and said, "I'm glad you came.

"Come on there now, don't stand and wait. Just walk right through this Toyland gate. I'm sure you'll not regret this little visit here because, I'll lead you down a Toyland street, and pretty soon you all will meet a mighty fine old man. Guess who! That's right! He's Santa Claus."

At last the little dogs stopped still. The Tinies almost took a spill, but hung on to each other till they scrambled to their feet. They rushed up to the Toyland gate, and Cappy said, "Now shall we wait, or shall we shout so we will bring somebody we can meet?"

"Let's walk right in," another said. And Clown answered, "Go ahead!"

(The Tinymites meet Santa Claus in the next story.)

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Steward—Ray Titus of Evanston and Gordon Titus of Rockford were here Saturday calling on Miss Helen Titus.

Aileen Durin returned to Champaign Monday after spending the vacation her eard at Rockford.

Ed Titus of Davis Junction visited his sister, Miss Helen Titus on Sunday.

S. J. Whetstone is visiting in Chicago with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor entertained their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ewald of Rochelle on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Margaret Durin, son Robert and daughter Aileen and Mrs. Sadie Parker visited in Rockford Saturday.

Mrs. Ella Shearer was a guest Thanksgiving at the T. R. Simpson home in Polo.

Rev. R. J. L. McKelvey was in Waterman Monday attending a meeting of about twenty pastors of the DeKalb Ministers association.

Mervin Hemenway and wife have moved into the W. A. Foster residence. Mrs. Hemenway's parents came over from Forrester with a load of furniture Monday.

Little Shirley Ravnas is recovering from the scarlet fever. None of the other members of the family have contracted the disease so far.

Mrs. Mary Carney has gone to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rollo Romick at Shabbona.

Next Sunday evening the program at the church will be given by an octette from Chicago. These people made a trip through Norway singing in the various churches.

The program given last Sunday evening by the men home talent was well attended. The quartet rendered some good music.

Miss Florence Cook returned to Champaign Monday after a few days vacation at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Hemenway were entertained Thanksgiving Day in Rockford, by relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson vis-

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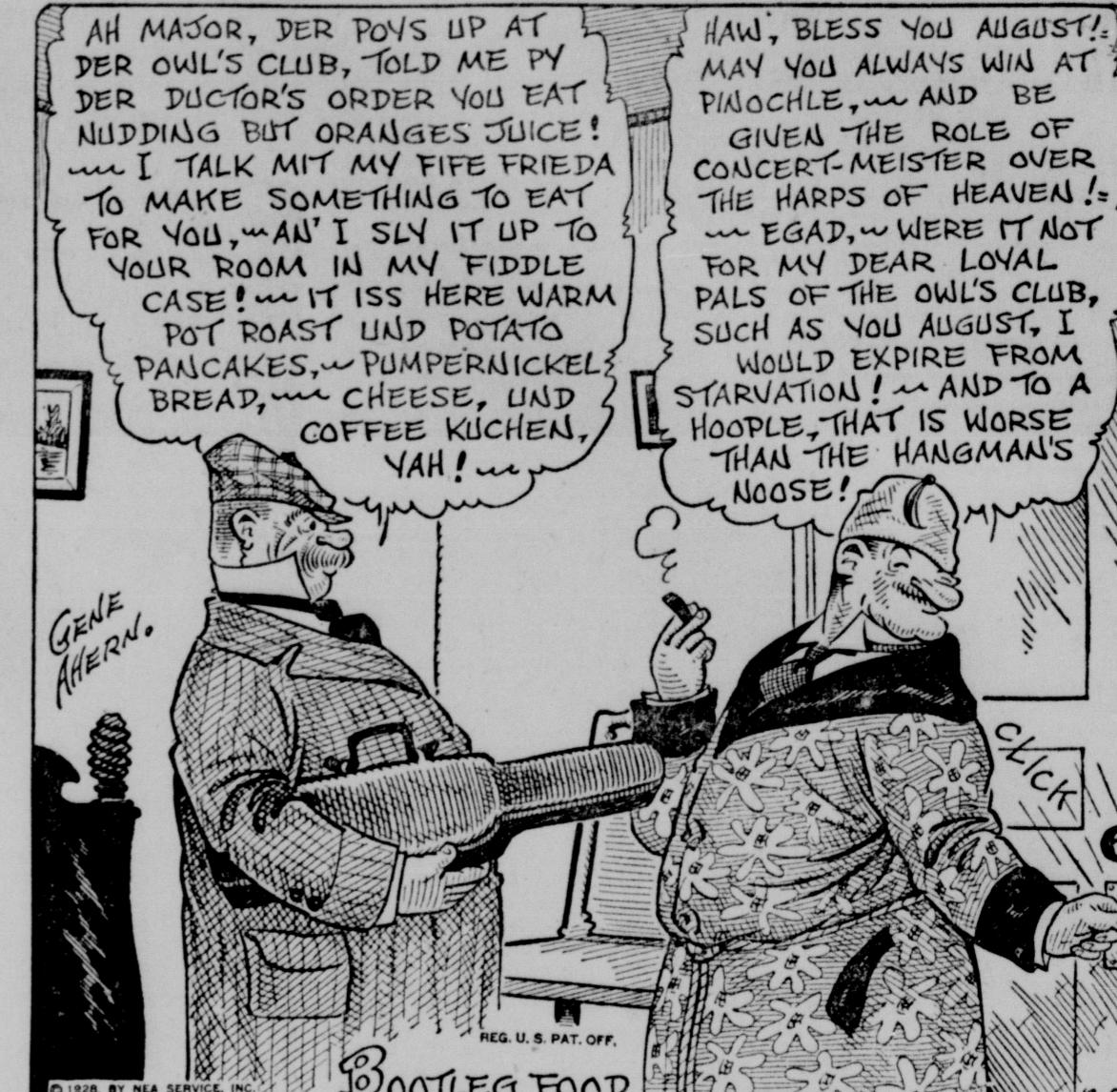
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Rochelle—The Rochelle Gun Club held a banquet at Klondyke Inn on the Lincoln Highway west of Rochelle. Friday evening, the losers of the Thanksgiving shoot banqueting the winners.

The annual Christmas party of Salome Chapter Order of Eastern

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



RADIO RIALTO

SATURDAY EVENING
(Central Standard Time)

6:45—Talk on World's Business by Dr. Julius Klein—WPA KDKA KWK WRC KDA WHAS WSM.

8:00—Light Opera Hour: "Naughty Marietta"—WJZ KDKA WJR WLW KVW KWK WREN KOA WSB WMC WHAS WOAI KPRC KBP XVOO.

8:15—A. K. Hour: Hulda Lashanska and Toscha Seidel—WEAF WRC WGJ WWJ WGN WTAM WOW WDAD XVVO FAA WSM WMC WSB KOA KPRC WOAI KSD.

9:00—Tunes of Broadway: Request Numbers—WEAF WRC WGJ WTAM WWJ WGN WKB WSD WMC WSB WMC WMC WSB WTB.

9:15—Roxy and His Gang: Douglas Stanbury, Baritone—WJZ KDKA WJR WREN KVW WSB WMC WRC KOA.

9:30—Family Party: Musical Comedy Hits—WEAF WTAM WWJ WGN WTMJ KSD KVOC WOB WDAF WFAA KPRC WOAI WHAS WSM WMC WSB WJAX WRC WGJ KGO KFI KOMO KHQ.

9:45—The Adventurers: To the Rescue—WOR WADC WKRC WGP WMQA KMOX KMBC KOI WSPD WHK WOZO.

10:00—National Grand Opera: "Cavalleria Rusticana"—WEAF WRC WWJ WFAA WHAS WEBK KSD.

10:15—Pense Sisters—WEAF WWJ KSD WOB.

10:30—Insure your house with H. U. Bardwell.

MONDAY EVENING
(Central Standard Time)

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7:00—The Adventures: To the Rescue—WOR WADC WKRC WGP WMQA KMOX KMBC KOI WSPD WHK WOZO.

7:15—Collier Hour: Two Guest Speakers—WJZ KDKA WPR WLW KVW KYW WDAF KOA.

8:00—Two Black Crows Moran and

Mack, with Orchestra—WABO WABO WKRC WGJ WBBM WOOG KMOX KMBC KOI WSPD WHK WRC KPA KYA KTAB KMTR KEV KPR KGA WCCO.

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POLO NEWS NOTES

Polo.—The unveiling of the Christmas windows and lighting of trees will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

O. W. Neher, president of Mt. Morris College will speak at the Church of the Brethren Sunday evening. The meeting will be especially for young people.

Several hundred Sunday school workers are expected to attend the annual Sunday school convention of District No. 9 which is to be held at the Brick church on Sunday, Dec. 9th. The convention will open at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Barber of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is visiting her brother, Ben Rubendall.

Elmer Davis, who has been a sub clerk in the local post office, has accepted a position in the railway mail service in Chicago and has entered upon his new duties. Robert Pollock has taken the position made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Davis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter

White of Rock Falls, Nov. 30th, a daughter. Mrs. White was formerly Miss Helen Finkle of Polo.

Bert Beck of Schenectady, N. Y., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Beck.

Ren Anderdon of Sterling was a business caller Thursday.

Mrs. H. D. Davis is visiting her daughter, Helen, of Chicago for several days.

Attorney Robert M. Brand and H. C. Scott transacted business in Princeton Tuesday.

The Christian church will be reopened Sunday, having been closed on account of redecorating.

The Philathaea class of the Evangelical Sunday school met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Gaylor Tuesday evening. There were eighteen members and several guests present. The regular business meeting was held after which an interesting program was given. Mrs. Gaylor served delicious refreshments.

Mrs. Keeneth Moats and baby of Chicago who spent the past several days in the Lewis Moats home, will return to Chicago Saturday.

Insure your house with H. U. Bardwell.

Are You a Wise Man?

A wise man does not

HOUSE IN RECESS AFTER PASSAGE OF TREASURY-P. O. ACT

**Senate, However, Holds
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WHAT CONGRESS IS DOING BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Senate continues consideration of
Boulder Dam bill.

Rules committee of Senate meets.

Public lands committee of Senate

takes up nomination of Roy O. West

to be Secretary of the Interior.

House in recess over week end.

Routine sessions scheduled for

House rules, and naval committee

and appropriations sub-committees.

Washington, Dec. 8—(AP)—Complacent after passing the billion dollar Postoffice-Treasury appropriation bill, the House recessed over the week end but the Senate intended today to go ahead with business as usual, the business being Boulder Dam.

Boulder Dam has already produced at this session a good deal of argument but apparently little else. Two interpretations have been put on President Coolidge's statement about the project in his message to Congress.

At present, Senator Johnson of California is leading the fight for the bill, already passed by the House, and Senator Hayden of Arizona, is making a good showing as one of its chief Senate opponents. The question has many ramifications but most of these hinge around government construction of the proposed dam and distribution of the Colorado river's waters if the barrier is built.

In the room where the Senate public lands committee had arranged to consider the nomination of Roy O. West of Chicago to be Secretary of the Interior, there was uncertainty. There were some who expected West to be asked pointed questions, but this was largely speculation.

The Kellogg-Briand treaty for the renunciation of war as an instrument of national policy is still sailing on serene seas after the appearance of Secretary Kellogg before the Senate foreign relations committee. He said that the treaty would not affect the Monroe Doctrine and after the meeting was over Senator Borah of Idaho, chairman of the committee, predicted early and favorable committee action on the pact.

FRANKLIN GROVE NEWS NOTES

Franklin Grove, Dec. 6—The Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet next Thursday, Dec. 13 with Mrs. Fred Gross and Mrs. Bert Morgan.

Robert Henderson of Chicago, James Henderson and Morris Waite of Pennsylvania will be week end guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stultz and son Douglas went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stultz near Coleta where they helped him celebrate his birthday anniversary, remaining over for Thanksgiving dinner of quail and wild duck.

G. D. Black went to Dixon yesterday for a few days visit at the home of his granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Durkes entertained the bridge club yesterday afternoon at her home. Miss Carrie Gross won first honors and Miss Winnifred Hauseen second, while Mrs. Wilbur Dusay carried off the consolation honors. lovely refreshments were served.

Miss Margaret Banker returned to her school duties at the DeKalb Normal Sunday afternoon, after an absence of several weeks.

Mrs. Quimby Bremner and daughter Miss Margaret, and Mrs. Ernest Fair were Chicago visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Wm. Holly went to Chicago Saturday where he attended the fat stock show. He says it sure was great and worth seeing.

The Priscilla Club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Miss Carrie Gross.

Mrs. Eliza Fox is numbered with the serious other sick folks of our town. We wish with her for speedy recovery.

Henry Helmershausen was home from Chicago from Wednesday until Sunday. He and his sister Miss Alice were dinner guests Thanksgiving at the home of Clarence Kersten in Bradford township.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Mattern had as their guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Bates of Elgin, Mrs. Curley of Chicago, Miss Ida Cook of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bates and son Wayne of this place.

Warren Mong and Edmond Baker expect to leave Monday for Portland, Ore., and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Johannsen, Miss Josina Johannsen and brother Delbert, Mrs. Mary Peterson and Emil Bowman of Marshalltown, Ia., were Thursday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schafer south of town. Miss Johannsen was beauty contest winner which was started a few weeks ago in Marshalltown by the Times-Republican.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnhart had as their guests yesterday, Mrs. Florence Wilson and son Eldon, Mrs. Eddie Blaine and George Mong.

Mr. and Mrs. Oleman and Johnny Belle, Mrs. Lucy of Chicago were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Mattern.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hussey and family spent Thursday in Chicago at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Jenkins.

Prof. Fox visited friends in Chicago from Friday until Sunday.

L. H. Brewer and Joe Gaus were tut from Chicago over the week end.

Clayton Kessinger who is attending college at Carthage, Ill., visited

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kessinger from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mrs. Bancroft of Tama, Ia., visited this week with relatives here, Mrs. Lorenzo Brewer her headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jacobs motored to Triumph where they enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jacobs.

Mrs. F. D. Lahman accompanied

her son, C. F. Lahman and family to Madison, Wis., Friday where she will visit for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Herwig had as their guests Thursday, Mrs. Mary Burghen, Mr. and Mrs. John Burghen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Gommernan of Ashton spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hoover, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bunker and daughters of Sycamore were guests Sunday at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Bunker.

Charles Ives who is attending school at Des Moines, Ia., spent the Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sunday entertained with dinner Sunday, Mrs. Clara Smith of this place, Miss Elva Sunday of Chicago, Lawrence Sunday of Glenn Ellyn, Miss Elsie Chambers of Downers Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sunday of Ashton.

Henry Cupp is confined to his bed by sickness. It is the hope of his many friends that he will improve under the treatment he is now taking.

Chas. Sunday is working in the Billmire blacksmith shop in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Ennum, Harry Dryett and sister Mrs. Olive Spangler attended the funeral of Samuel Wetzel, their uncle in Sterling Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hoff of Nachusa is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Lookingland, who has been very ill the past week.

Mrs. Clara Schenck of Oak Park visited from Wednesday until Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Trottnow.

Miss Mamie Jones, who teaches school in Chicago visited from Wednesday until Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones at Steamboat Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller had as their guests for supper Wednesday evening, her mother, Mrs. Sadie Blaine and George Mong.

Miss Helen Spratt is working full time now at the Montgomery Ward store in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burdett Kibble, Miss Marie Brindle, John and Orville Brindle went to Pine Creek Thursday where they enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Brindle.

Miss Margaret Bunker was hostess to a group of twelve friends Friday night. Bunco was the fun of the evening. Miss Marion Buck and John Campbell won first prize, while Miss Hazel Seidell and Fred Kessinger were awarded the consolation tokens. During the evening refreshments were served. John and Edward Campbell of Dixon were out of town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morris will entertain the Bridge club tomorrow night, at their country home.

Forman George Johnson was called to Morrison last evening by the illness of his brother, Jesse Johnson, who has been confined to his bed with an attack of pneumonia. At this writing he is able to be up a little. Jesse is a former Franklin boy and has many friends here who will wish him for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. R. L. Godfrey of River Forest, Mrs. Charles Jacobson and Rev. G. A. Brown of Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sunday.

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1928 Christmas Seal Ship Model Presented to Mrs. Coolidge



Edward Thatcher completing the "Ship of Health."



Christmas Seal



Mrs. Calvin Coolidge

A grandfather who ran away to sea at the age of nine to ship as a cabin boy is indirectly the reason that an exact model of the "Ship of Health" on this year's Christmas seal reproduces in the White House.

The model, presented to Mrs. Coolidge a few days ago, is the work of Edward Thatcher, the grandson of the little cabin boy, whose inherited love of the sea finds expression in the construction of ship models, and has made him one of the foremost authorities in this country on the subject.

"My grandfather, John Thatcher, lived in Boston, England, when he ran away," explained Mr. Thatcher, "and for a number of years he followed the sea in sailing ships before he settled in New York. So, naturally, I have always been interested in the sea and ships, particularly ship models.

"My first model, Columbus' Santa Maria, was built in a tiny shop at the back of our apartment in New York, where I used to tinker when I came home tired from teaching at Columbia University. When it was finished, this model hung over the dining table and made interesting shadows on the ceiling from the candle light. Ship models were quite a novelty then.

"Models and toy work interested me so that finally I decided to take them up in earnest, often going out to real toy factories and working on their products, developing new toys, and writing 'how-to-make-it' magazine articles.

"In one of these articles I described

Lucille entertained with turkey dinner Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Lee Daley and daughter of Savanna, and Miss Winifred Bremner of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Pegrann of Kankakee were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lott.

Mrs. Jesse Beach of Candy, Minn., was a Thursday and Friday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fair. Friday afternoon she left for Pennsylvania where she will visit relatives.

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Wesley Eberly of Elburn spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eberly at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brattan of West Chicago were visitors here Thursday with relatives.

Norman Tompkins who is attending college at Beloit, Wis., was a week end guest with relatives here.

Prof. and Mrs. Leland Hanson were Chicago visitors Friday.

Paul Smith of Chicago was a week end guest at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Smith.

Warren Mong of Chicago was a week end guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mong.

Miss Flora Wicker went to Chicago Friday where she visited relatives until Sunday.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Turner home and then from the Methodist church in Ashland, the services being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Albion Tavenner.

The Baldwin family for a number of years have lived together on the home farm and cared for their aged father, Mr. Baldwin united with the Methodist church in middle life, and was ever a faithful member.

Reading, one of his most beautiful poems, entitled, "My World". The roll call response was "sayings from Guest", and the quotations together with the articles read, brought out the fact that Edgar A. Guest is one of the best known and best loved writers of today, because of his close touch with home life and his sympathy and understanding of little children.

There will be no afternoon meeting of the club during January, as the social committee, consisting of Mrs. Grace Bremner, Mrs. Anna Trottnow and Mrs. Mary Burghen are planning a social evening for the members and their guests to be sometime during that month with later notification to be given.

Engagement Announced

From the Chicago Tribune we glean the following item of interest:

"Announcement was made at a luncheon Friday of the engagement of Miss Dorothy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seward Davis of 6906 Constance avenue, to Wilford Clarence Lehman, son of Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Lehman of Franklin Grove, Ill."

"Woody" as he is better known here has just a host of friends here in this town who are more than pleased to learn of his good fortune and will most heartily congratulate him.

Death Comes Suddenly

Arthur Morris attended the fat stock show in Chicago Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Fruin went to Chicago Tuesday for a few days visit at the home of her sister and attended the fat stock show also.

Goodspeed Inn Sold

Rochelle, Dec. 1—Miss Zulah Beck

has tendered her resignation to the

Carey & Longnecker clothing store

to take effect Jan. 1. Miss Beck has

been employed at the Carey &

Longnecker store for the past nine

years. Miss Beck and her brother

Clare will open an inn on the out-

skirts of Grand Detour the first

of the year. They have purchased the

Goodspeed inn at that place and

will also have charge of a camp-

ground for tourists. They will no

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waiting to board the 10 o'clock train

for Dixon where he expected to

spend the day. Mr. Sch



CHAPTER 1
ORCHID'S real name is Ashtoreth
—Ashtoreth Ashe.

A peculiar name—Ashtoreth. It may even impress you as absurd.

Ashtoreth's mother is a romantic woman. She reads a great many novels, and imagines herself a bit eccentric. Following her daughter's birth, she had strange dreams about ancient Egypt. She talked of reincarnation, and declared that she had been a priestess, and worshiped the moon. And lived in a marble palace and danced before strange gods. Her husband, at the time, feared for her sanity.

But Mrs. Ashe laid it all to mysticism, and insisted upon naming her child Ashtoreth, after the moon goddess of old Egypt. It was to Ashtoreth that pagan women prayed. Maidens seeking lovers. And wives desiring children.

Mrs. Ashe thought it was a lovely custom, and sometimes begged favors herself of the moon. Not that she believed in it at all. It was merely a harmless little fantasy, and pleased her sentimental nature.

Naturally Ashtoreth hates her strange name. People are always asking what it means, and she finds explanations exceedingly embarrassing.

When she was small, the children with whom she played called her Ashash. It sounded rather like a cellar-way, or something gray and grubby; and the child hated it with all her faulacious little being. It was not only ugly. It was utterly incongruous. Besides Ashtoreth is as exquisite a girl as ever lived.

She looks a little like Dolores del Rio, only there is something more mysterious about her.

Her skin has a sort of ivory pallor. And she has gray-green eyes, and vivid lips. Because her cheeks are colorless, the effect of her full, red mouth is startling as scarlet on old ivory.

She has high cheek bones, and a pointed little chin. So that her face seems curiously heart-shaped. The effect is accentuated by the way in which she does her hair. It is straight black hair. Parted in the middle, and twisted in great coils over her ears.

Victor Hugo said once of a theatrical celebrity: "She is not pretty—she is worse."

Now, Ashtoreth is not really pretty. She is rare. Different from other girls.

There are, for instance, typical debutantes, typical stenographers, and typical sportswomen. Exactly as there are typical wives and typical chorus girls. But Ashtoreth is not so easily classified.

HOLLIS HART, the famous financier, was extraordinarily impressed the first time he saw her—and Hollis Hart was not a susceptible person.

It was a stormy day in January when Ashtoreth—summoned by an electric buzzer on her desk—glided into his private office, to take her first dictation from the famous Mr. Hart.

Ashtoreth was wearing a black crepe, swathed about her hips and caught on one side by an odd buckle. A most unusual buckle. A collector would have noticed it at once, and speculated upon its origin. It happened, however, that Ashtoreth had made it herself, with two sticks of sealing wax. One of green, and the other of gold. The effect



Hart noticed in a surprising moment how clear her skin was. "Pale as opals," he thought.

was of mottled fade.

On the fingers of her left hand she wore a scarab, set in dull gold, and reaching exactly to the first joint. It was not really an old scarab, nor valuable. But, as Ashtoreth knew, there are very few people who know antique scarabs when they see them.

She had found the stone in a jeweler's tray, priced, among various odds and ends, at 50 cents. The setting she copied from a ring in the Egyptian room at the Art Museum. The whole thing cost perhaps \$5, and looked fabulously rare and costly.

Ashtoreth never had much money to spend on herself. But with a meager expenditure she achieved considerable distinction. Shoes and stockings were her greatest extravagance.

Sheer chiffon hose, and a scarab ring. A swathed crepe frock, and high heeled pumps. Eminently unsuitable, of course, for business wear. But Ashtoreth never aspired to be correct. She was individual. Moreover, she was clever.

"Other girls," she told her mother, "conform to style standards. They wear their skirts so short you'd think they were having a competition. They use the same sort of perfume, and the same kind of face powder. Their dresses are all of a pattern. And their jewelry looks as if it had come off one counter. They even do their hair alike. They varnish their finger nails, and shave their necks. They see the same movies, and read the same books."

Ashtoreth shrugged distastefully. "And I've no doubt," she said, "they think the same thoughts—if any."

MRS. ASHE had met her daughter downtown for luncheon. She was wearing, at the time, a purple velvet coat, and gray pumps and stockings. Her dress was flowered chiffon. A riot of apoplectic petunias and flaming

poppies. Her hat, which she held in her ample lap, was a mass of healthy cotton violets. And her hair, shingled smartly, was dandion yellow. Like Marilyn Miller's one season.

As Maizie Ashe says herself: her hair is not natural—it is persuaded.

She is a plump woman, with soft fragrant skin, and round blue eyes. Her coloring is like a bisque doll's, and scarcely faded.

Now she surveyed her daughter across her beet and string bean salad. (Maizie would never diet of her own volition. Only when she ate out with Ashtoreth.) "Miss Holley-to-toy!" she retorted amiably.

And, toying with a bran muffin, observed comfortably that it was only natural young folks should be alike.

"You're too finicky, honey," she said. "Like your father. You'd ought to be more like me. You'd be a sight happier."

But Ashtoreth despised conformity. Her skirts were long, thereby attracting unusual attention to her legs, slim and lovely.

She wore black exclusively. And felt hats, summer and winter. With a bit of brim, when everybody else thought brims were old-fashioned.

She never used perfume, but a hawking saucer instead. And rouge she abominated.

"Pale as opals," she thought.

And that was astounding, because Hollis Hart had dictated to any number of girls. And never thought anything at all about them. Nor was he a poetic man.

It was strange, too, how the name "Orchid" flashed across his mind. He thought of it immediately, as fitting the pale girl who waited, notebook in hand.

Hollis Hart was the last of an eminent family that traced its American lineage back to the first Huguenot settlers. "Scion of fame and fortune," as the papers say.

Rhodes scholar, famous sportsman, and a millionaire many times over.

IT'S CONTINUED

over that route," the Assistant Postmaster General said.

"Next month the mail of our 110,000 customers will be carried by air to all principal points in Latin and Central America over the air trail blazed by Lindbergh as far as San Juan in the West Indies and Colon in Panama. It would be safe to forecast that the route to Santiago, Chile, through Columbia, Ecuador, Peru and Chile will be in operation next July."

The airplane as a dominant factor in a new era of diplomacy was visualized by William P. MacCracken, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Aeronautics.

Predicts New Era.

"Nations which have had little in common because of the old barriers of distance will be brought together by air; better understanding of world affairs is certain to result; and a new era of diplomacy built up," he said.

F. Trubee Davison, Assistant Secretary of War for Aeronautics, and Edward P. Warner, Assistant Secretary of Navy for Aeronautics, pledged the continued support of the military establishments to commercial aviation, which they pointed to as the peacetime mission of the Army and Navy.

The foreign delegates enroute to the International Civil Aeronautics Conference called by President Coolidge will leave Chicago in a fleet of tri-motored airplanes tomorrow for Dayton, where they are to participate in a civic celebration to honor Orville Wright, the first man to fly.

NEED

Letter Heads. Bill Heads or Envelopes? We can supply you. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Do you use engraved calling cards? If so come to us. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Will Ask Bids Soon.

The Postoffice Department has been working out the details of a route along the Pacific coast of South America from Colon, Panama, to Santiago, Chile, and will advertise for bids within a few days to carry mail

their Thanksgiving vacation with home folks.

James Sharkey is husking corn for Philip Murphy.

Edward Ryan lost a valuable horse last week.

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Mrs. James Etheridge was called to Princeton Monday evening because of the serious illness of her son Cashius, who submitted to an emergency operation for appendicitis. At present he is holding his own.

The evening message will be given at 7:45. The subject will be, "The Flood and the Ark." Come bring your family and friends and let us worship together. The Lord desires that you come to His house. So do we. The Spirit also says, Come. You are cordially invited and welcome.

AMBOY BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Clarence F. Kerr, Minister 9:45 o'clock Graded Sunday School.

Minnie Johnson, Superintendent. Welcome awaits you in all our services.

11:00 o'clock morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.

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There will be a Fellowship Supper at the Church on Thursday, Dec. 13th at 6:30 o'clock. Members and friends will bring their articles and gifts which are to be sent to the Children's Home at Maywood to gladden the hearts of the orphans at Christmas time.

Miss Mary Boyce and John Loan Jr. of Amboy spent Thanksgiving with their aunt, Mrs. Mary McFadden.

Floyd Peach will hold a closing sale on the Joseph Meurer farm on December 14.

Mary Kathryn and Marietta Friel, who attend Amboy High School spent

See the Evening Telegraph for club rates with the Chicago papers. We can save you money.

THE RULES

1.

This idea of letter golf is to change one word into another and do it in par, a given number of strokes. Thus to change COW to HEN, is three strokes. COW, HOW, HEW, HEN.

2.

You can change only one letter at a time.

3.

You must have a complete word of common usage, for each pump

things of which she knew nothing. Cleopatra and antiquities. She pondered distractingly. Could Mr. Hart have guessed how little she really knew of Egypt's queen? Only that men called her the Serpent of the Nile, and that she vamped Caesar from a pile of carpets? And killed herself with an asp?

"I'll get a book at the library," vowed Ashtoreth.

And taking her mother's market list from her bag, she penciled a memo at the bottom: "Find out about Cleopatra and scarabs."

The library was next the chain grocery store. She would stop there on her way home. Maybe Mr. Hart would say something more about Egypt tomorrow. Then she would be able, if circumstances permitted, to throw in another observation or two. Carelessly, of course.

That night Ashtoreth read while her mother went to the movies. When Mrs. Ashe came home she made herself a pot of tea and cut some cake. She was one of those women who like a little "snack of something" before bed time. While she ate, she chatted of Greta Garbo and John Gilbert. There was nobody, she remarked romantically, made love like John Gilbert. Finally she went to bed, smothering yawns with her pink, plump palms.

When she was asleep Ashtoreth tiptoed quietly back to the living room. To read, until the fat grew icy cold, and dawn put gray fingers whitely against the window panes.

At six a.m. Ashtoreth knew that Cleopatra was immortal—not because she was a great queen—but because she was seductive, like a professional beauty.

"And smart," decided Ashtoreth, putting out the light, "like the steographer who vamps the millionnaire boss. Caesar was the richest and the most influential man she knew—so she vamped him. He died. And Antony became old Egypt's sugar daddy. Cleo forgot Caesar, and started running around with Antony. Just like gold-digging girls today."

Smiling drowsily, Ashtoreth cuddled under her flowered puff. And slept, to dream of Hollis Hart, in a robe of Tyrian purple, with laurel in his hair.

"Ashtoreth Ashe!" said her mother at breakfast. "Look at those circles under your eyes. I thought I heard you up after I went to bed. Reading, I bet. Well, you're a perfect sight—that's all I've got to say."

But Ashtoreth, studying her eyes in the mirror over the kitchen sink, decided that dark shadows were languorously interesting. And a bit vampy, besides.

THE electric buzzer on her desk hummed softly. And Ashtoreth, slipping a pencil beneath the elastic on her notebook, entered Mr. Hart's office.

"Ah, good morning, Miss Ashe."

He greeted her shortly.

"I've something here I'd like to show you. A letter in the morning mail. Most astonishing, upon my word. I'd like you, please, to read it."

Astonished, Ashtoreth took from his outstretched hand a sheet of purple parchment, scrawled with green ink. Wafting the perfume of imported paper.

To Be Continued

From whom was the mysterious letter? And why did the rich and famous Mr. Hart ask his new steographer to read it? An amazing letter—reproduced in full in the next installment.

NEWS of the CHURCHES

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, NACHUSA

Rev. H. Psicholz, Pastor. 2nd Sunday in Advent. Bible School 9:30. Harry Currents, Supt.

Preaching Service 10:30. Luther League 6:45. Subject "How Should a Christian's Christmas Be Different?"

Evening Service, 7:30. The W. H. & F. Missionary Society of the Natchusa Lutheran Church will meet Thursday afternoon, Dec. 13. The place of meeting will be announced Sunday morning at the Church Service.

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NACHUSA ITEMS

Nachusa—Mrs. John Crawford was a Dixon caller Wednesday. Miss Cecile Dysart of Pekin, Ill., spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Dysart.

Mrs. M. Herrick of Detroit, Michigan is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Parker.

Mrs. F. Wolf and family were Franklin Grove callers Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Glenn Dysart was shopping in Dixon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Herbst motored to Dixon Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Emmert and daughter Miss Jean Carie were Dixon callers Saturday.

Leslie Herbst was a Dixon visitor Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Crawford was a Dixon caller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and daughter Winnifred motored to Dixon Saturday.

Harold Wolf was a Dixon caller Wednesday morning.

Rev. H. Pischolz has been quite ill for some time and his many friends hope for a speedy recovery. Rev. P. H. Stahl supplied the pulpit for Rev. Pischolz last Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shaver and family of Dixon were callers Thursday evening at the home of the Misses Uhl.

Charles Heyett attended the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago this week.

Harry Currans and son Glenn spent several days this week in Chicago visiting friends and attending the International Livestock Exposition.

The Thursday Reading Club met with Mrs. Frank Bishop at the home of her daughter Mrs. Edgar Crawford. Those present enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon. At the social hour Mrs. Crawford served delicious refreshments.

Harry Swartz attended the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kregar are enjoying a fine new Studebaker sedan.

The baked ham supper and bazaar

A PAIR OF MODERN OLIVER TWISTS

But there isn't any "more" in this Near East Relief orphanage in Syria. Just enough to go around and barely that! Two of the 32,000 youngsters in Greece, Syria, Palestine, and Armenia who are being cared for by American charity and in behalf of whom the Near East Relief seeks the observance of International Golden Rule Sunday on December 2, to help complete its budget for finishing their care and training.

was held Friday evening at the basement of the church by the ladies of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ortgiesen and son motored to Dixon Saturday.

OBITUARY**MRS. L. B. NEIGHBOUR**

(Contributed)

Nettie May Holliston was born March 7, 1868, on the farm of her father, William Holliston, three miles south of Mendota. She was the youngest of the five children of Mr. Holliston and his wife, Mary McGinnis Holliston.

This prairie locality was then being brought into cultivation, and the family were subjected to all the rigors and ills of the pioneer. Among

these were sickness, by which their family life here was greatly saddened. The eldest sister, Helen, died of typhoid fever, and so severely were the other members stricken that only the father was able to attend her funeral. Not long afterwards Edward, a boy of fifteen, of fine mind and unusual promise, was taken away by inflammatory rheumatism. After that, unable to bear the strain of their surroundings, Mr. Holliston disposed of his farm and moved to Mendota, where he attained to old age and was a well known and respected figure in the town.

Nettie was a student in the Blackstone High School. But shortly before the completion of her course there, as several of her girl friends were preparing to teach, she took the examination along with them, under Mr. Stockdale, county superintendent of schools. She was rather surprised when granted a certificate

on this examination, and proposed to her parents that she leave high school and teach. To this they assented, and she spent the next two years teaching at the Tripp School near Meriden.

Needed at home, she then abandoned teaching and cared for her parents. Later when not so needed, she took up the work of dress-making and followed it for a number of years, making her home meanwhile in the family of either her sister, Mrs. Hazard, or her brother, William T. Holliston. With the Hazards she went to Nashville, Tennessee, and when afterward they came to Dixon, she came here with them. In each of these families she was a much loved and welcome member.

On Thanksgiving Day, November 30, 1911, she entered a home of her own—marrying Professor L. B. Neighbour of Dixon. She made him a most devoted and helpful wife, and in Dixon she has created by her sincerity and goodness of character a circle of appreciative friends.

From childhood her church life meant much to Mrs. Neighbour. When a girl she became a member of the Baptist Church at Mendota, be-

ing baptized by the Rev. Mr. Steadman, long well known in that vicinity. After her marriage, she transferred her membership to the church of her husband, the Methodist Episcopal of Dixon.

Her health had not been strong of late, and under medical advice, she was on November 17 removed to the Dixon Hospital for care, in preparation for an operation for the removal of gall-stones. On November 28 the operation was performed, with high hopes for her recovery. But four days later an unexpected complication disclosed itself, and death became a matter of only a few hours. Her close relatives were summoned and gathered at her bedside on the morning of December 3, and here at noon she breathed her last. There had been suffering, but her end was calm and beautifully peaceful—so still that those by her bedside could not tell the time of its coming.

The funeral services were held at the family home, 516 Third St., Dixon, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5. The sermon was by her pastor, the Rev. A. Turley Stephenson, who read, before his sermon, a touching and brief story of her life,

which she herself had penned while at the hospital, and placed in her Bible, leaving word with the nurse to deliver to her husband, if she should pass away under the operation. Prayer was by the Rev. Mr. Anna, once her pastor at Mendota. The Rev. A. W. Carlson, former pastor at Dixon, sang two numbers, "It Is Not Death To Die" and "Sweet Will of God," and read two selections "They Softly Walk" and "Waiting" all requested as a last wish of Mrs. Neighbour. By her request again, Miss Goldie Albright sang two numbers "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Lead, Kindly Light" as the funeral party were leaving the house. And of Mrs. Neighbour's selection, also, were the bearers—Henry Floto, Dr. W. J. Worsley, R. M. Ferguson, Captain T. W. Clayton, O. L. Gearhardt, and Gordon S. Andrew.

At the grave the prayer was offered by Dr. Carlson and the other church service conducted by Dr. Stephenson, who followed it with the lines Mark Twain had written for his daughter's burial and read at her open grave:

Warm summer sun,

Shine kindly here;
Warm southern wind,
Blow softly here.
Green sod above,
Lie light, lie light;
Good night, dear heart,
Good night, good night!

After this, stepping back a little, her pastor lifted his hat as a token of respect to Mrs. Neighbour, and instinctively every hat was lifted in the silent and beautiful tribute.

Besides the many Dixon friends in attendance at the funeral, were the following relatives and friends from a distance: her sister, Mrs. C. D. Hazard; nieces, Lucile Hazard, and nephew Lee H. Hazard of Rock Island; a niece, Miss Helen H. Hazard, assistant superintendent of the Federal School for Women at Alderson, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holliston, Mr. and Mrs. Neill Holliston, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fahler, and Frank McGinnis, all of Mendota; Mrs. W. T. Holliston, Dr. and Mrs. John McGinnis, and Mrs. Cors. Milar, of Aurora; Mrs. H. C. Thory, of Ann Arbor, Michigan; Mr. Justus Neighbour, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Neighbour, Jr., of Moline; Mrs. Seneca.

Mae Hutchinson, Rock Island; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Knauer and Mrs. A. L. Derr, of West Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Keigwin, Mrs. Howard Keigwin, and Mr. James Foley of Walnut.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

For I desired mercy and not sacrifice; and the knowledge of God more than burnt offerings.—Hosea 6:6.

Mercy often inflicts death—

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION.

Have name and address printed on box of stationery. This will please most anyone. Come in and see samples. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. of Seneca.

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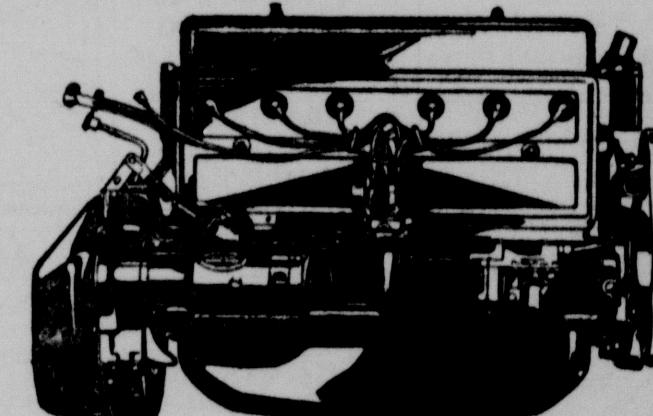
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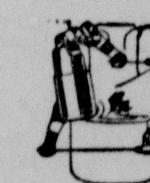
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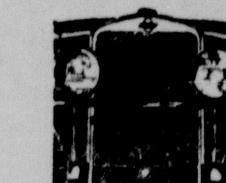
San Francisco, Dec. 8-13, Civic Auditorium, Larkin Hall ... Cincinnati, Dec. 8-14, Hotel Sinton ... St. Louis, Dec. 8-14, Arcadia Ballroom, 3515 Olive Street ... Atlanta, Dec. 18-22, Auditorium—Armory ... Dallas, Dec. 18-22, Adolphus Hotel, Junior Ballroom ... Portland, Ore., Dec. 18-22 Public Auditorium.



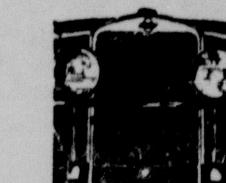
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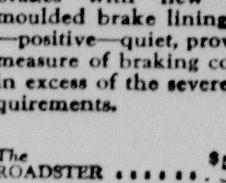
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Members of the Swedish royal family here are pictured upon arrival in New York to attend the wedding of Count Folke Bernadotte and Miss Estelle Manville, New York society girl whose marriage to the Swedish nobleman this month will mark the elevation to the highest point in royalty ever attained by an American girl. Count Bernadotte, shown above with his fiancee, is a grandson of Sweden's king and a direct descendant of Marshall Bernadotte of Napoleon's army who was elected to the Swedish throne early in the nineteenth century. In the lower group, left to right, are Baroness Sophie Fleetwood, sister; Countess Elsa Bernadotte, sister; Count Carl Bernadotte, brother; and Countess Carl Bernadotte, sister-in-law.

Santa's Junior Partners



M. Kris Kringle had best not let Mrs. Kris make a pre-Christmas tour of his toy shops. For there are pretty maids galore playing the role of Santa's foxy little proxies this season. The Misses Marion Shields and Hattie Lawrence, here shown are among the fairest of the assistants.

A 300-Year-Old Steed



"Giddap!" Little Jackie Kouckel, 2-year-old who likes to visit the Bronx Park Zoo in New York, takes a turn at riding bareback on "Grandpa," crustaceous tri-centurion at the park, unusually sprightly for one of his years.

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Activities at Pastime Alleys

ABE MARTIN

Daughter wears th' sweater, an' mother does all th' sweatin'. If ever buddy wuz as afraid of dry officers an' traffic laws as they are that th' pope 'll come over here, we'd have a party fair country.



The Oldsmobile five won two of three from Bales & Arnould's outfit Thursday evening. Jones getting high single game with 203 and G. Beier having top score for the three contests with 513. The scores:

Bales & Arnould	
G. Jones	173 132 203-508
Hill	170 148 146-464
Huening	185 135 165-485
W. Jones	135 136 146-417
Arnould	171 181 156-408

Totals 834 732 816

Team total—2382.

Oldsmobile	
Beier	157 175 181-513
Welch	124 161 182-467
Dysart	151 137 156-450
Bauman	151 167 179-497
Keenan	136 136 136-408

Totals 725 776 834

Team total—2335.

Games Next Week A League

Monday—Amboy vs Quality Cleaners; Boynton-Richards vs Reynolds Wire Co.

Tuesday—Sterling vs Chicago Motor Club; Golf Shop vs Dixon Implement Co.

B League

Wednesday—Walnut Grove Products Co. vs Ashton; Oldsmobile vs Underworlds.

Thursday—Bales & Arnould vs Palmyra.

THREE YEAR RULE TO BE ENFORCED, BIG TEN DECIDED

Exception is Made for the Army's Team, After Much Argument

Chicago, Dec. 8—(AP)—Except in the case of the Army, the Big Ten hereafter will refuse to enter into athletic relations with any team which does not have a three-year player rule.

After a turbulent debate, during which protests were made against the Army which does not have such a rule, the faculty advisory committee of the conference last night decided to enforce the rule with the one exception.

The action saved the Army from embarrassment, as it was over the three year rule that it broke its athletic relations with the Navy. While the Navy has a rule identical with that of the Big Ten, it was included in the exception.

Can Play Illini.

Two Army sports officials, Lieut. Colonel Roger Alexander of West Point and Col. W. C. Sweeney of the Third Infantry, Fort Snelling, Minn., Archie Ammons, St. James, Minn., (8), argued the case of the Army before Ernie North, Des Moines, Ia., out-

of the faculty committee, and were defeated with the decision, which means the Army can carry out its scheduled football game with the University of Illinois next year.

The faculty committee, however, agreed to enforce unequivocally the rule against colleges and universities although it is satisfied that Notre Dame, which also was protested and which has games scheduled with three Big Ten football teams next fall, lives up to the rule. The rule states that no player is eligible to compete in Big Ten athletics or against Big Ten teams who has played more than three years of college athletics.

Today, finishing touches were to be applied to football schedules, although a few open dates were left. Colgate now has two Big Ten football games scheduled for 1929 against Wisconsin at Madison, October 5 and at Indiana, October 19. Schedules in wrestling, hockey, tennis and golf also were to be finalized today.

The eligibility status of two football stars, Mayes McLain of Iowa and Allan Holman of Ohio State, also was expected to be decided by the eligibility committee.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Boston—Dave Shadie, California, outpointed Arthur Flynn, Lawrence, Mass. (10). Frankie O'Brien, Hartford, Conn., outpointed Jack Britton, New York (10).

Toledo, O.—Rosy Rosales, Cleveland, outpointed Larry Johnson, Chicago (10). Joe Bolchan, Detroit, won on foul from Sammy Lurica, Toledo (4).

Eau Claire, Wis.—Johnny Ciccone, Duluth, Minn., outpointed George Mavis, Chicago (10).

Cedar Rapids, Iowa—Henry Falegan, Des Moines, Ia., outpointed Hank Busges, Waterloo, Ia. (10).

Minneapolis—Harry Dillon, Winnipeg, outpointed Dick Daniels, Minneapolis (10). Britt Gorman, Minneapolis, outpointed Jack Sharkey, Minneapolis (8).

St. Joseph, Mo.—Charley Cobb, Houston, Tex., knocked out Battling Nelson, Waterloo, Iowa (2). Brownie Turman, Wichita, Kans., outpointed Archie Ammons, St. James, Minn., (8). Ernie North, Des Moines, Ia., out-

at Indiana, North Dakota at Minnesota, and South Dakota at Iowa.

Wisconsin and Illinois will start their seasons Monday night, the Badgers clashing with Franklin College at Madison and the Illini meeting Bradley at Champaign. Purdue opens against Wabash at Lafayette Tuesday night.

Michigan made an inauspicious start last night, losing to its old rival, Michigan State, 31 to 24. The Wolverines led at the halfway mark, but succumbed to the State rally in the last period.

Coaches plan to experiment with sophomore material freely tonight. Most of the teams had veteran quinets, but the second year men in many places threatened to oust several of last year's stars.

DRAFT QUESTION NOT SETTLED AT MINORS' MEETING

Numerous Trades About All Accomplished at Toronto

BY BRIAN BELL

Associated Press Sports Writer
Toronto, Ont., Dec. 8—(AP)—The temporary baseball capital of the North American continent today was moved from Toronto, where the 27 minor leagues of organized baseball

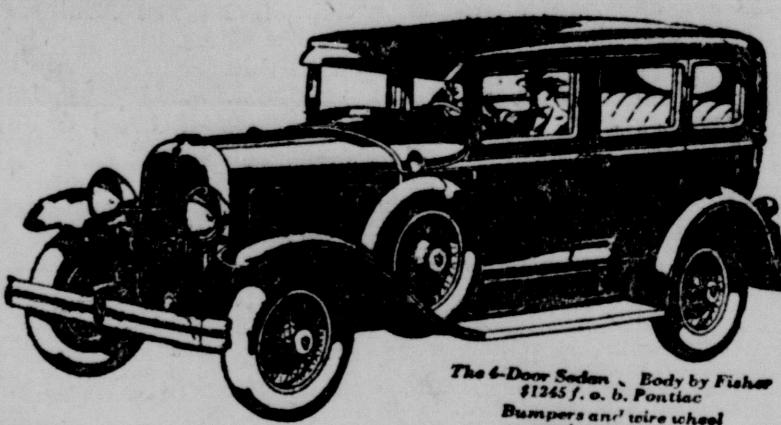
have been in session, to Chicago to New York and Chicago. It may be discussed at the National League meeting at New York and the American League conclave at Chicago Tuesday. The Toronto convention seemed to shy from the question although an elaborate series of recommendations for revision had been made by the major-minor advisory council.

The 27 minors came together with the question of the draft at the head of the program and when they went home it was in the same relative position. Committees from the Class AA leagues, opponents of the unrestricted draft and the A leagues, one non-draft and three more or less in favor of it, will meet at West Baden, Ind., January 10 with a smaller representation from the leagues of lower classification, very much in favor of wholesale drafting, to talk, if possible, to the majors face to face about the selection of players through the medium commonly called the "draft."

The draft question will now move

"POLITE STUFF IS BUNK" Chicago, Dec. 7—(AP)—"We," said one of two men who held up Miss Florence Gartner last night, "are the polite bandits you read about. Courtesy at all hazards, that's our motto, Miss. Now please be so kind as to tender to us your purse, your jewels and your fur coat." At this point the other bandit cracked Miss Gartner over the head with a blackjack. "This polite stuff is the bunk," he said, yanking the fur coat from Miss Gartner, who had been knocked down. Treat 'em rough is my motto."

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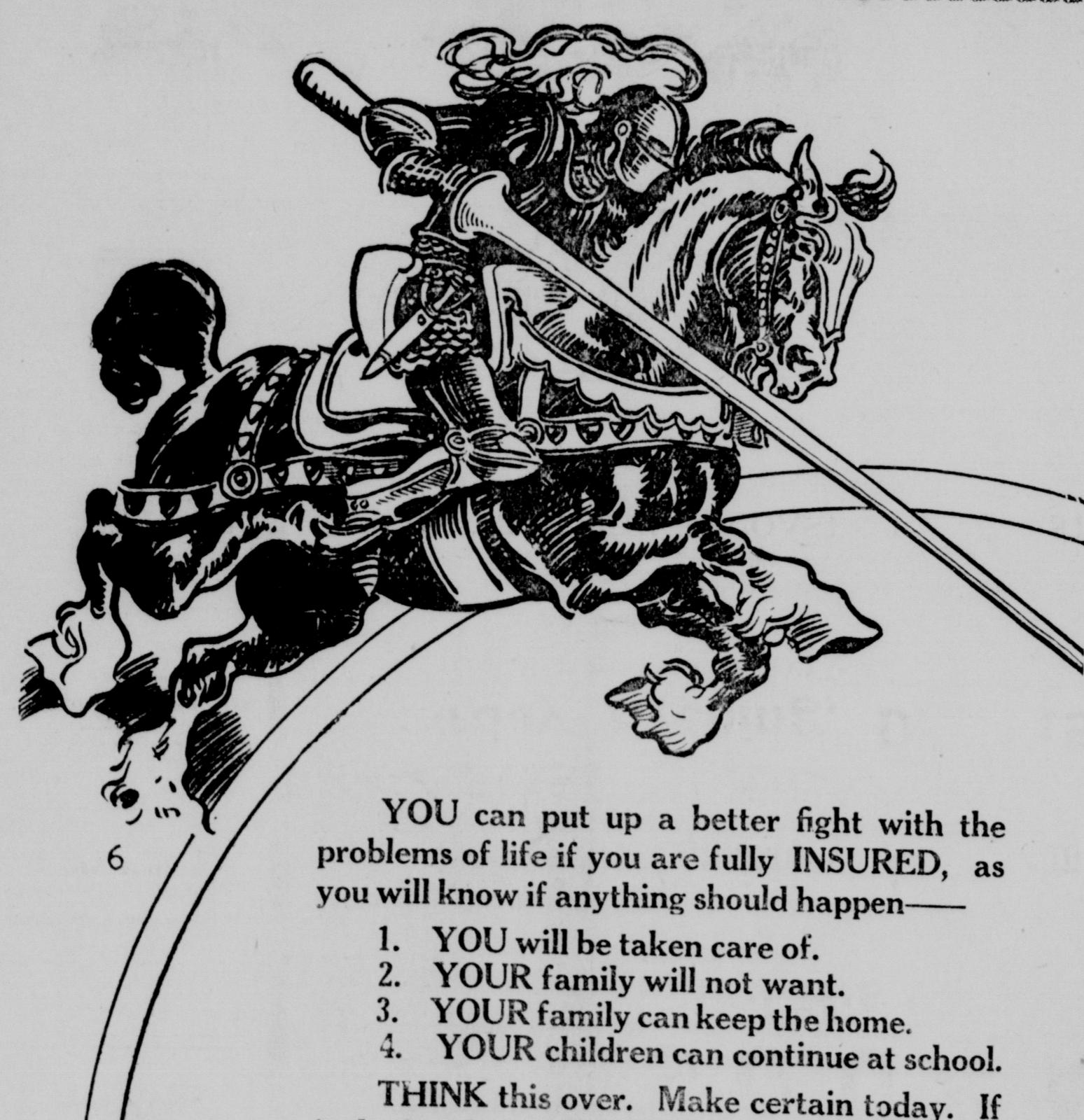
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